HOUSE BILL 3205 By Kisber

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 10 and Title 3, Chapter 6, relative to the regulation of certain activities concerning public office.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-102(3), is amended by adding the following language at the end of the first sentence:

or for the purpose of defraying any ordinary and necessary expenses of an officeholder incurred in connection with the performance of the officeholder's duties or responsibilities.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-105(e), is amended by deleting the first sentence and substituting instead the following:

Each candidate and each political campaign committee shall certify the name and address of the candidate's or committee's political treasurer to the registry of election finance and/or the county election commission, where appropriate before the candidate or committee may receive a contribution or make an expenditure in a state or local election. A state public officeholder shall also certify the name and address of his or her political treasurer to the registry of election finance before he or she or the candidate's political committee may accept a contribution to defray the expenses incurred in connection with the performance of the officeholder's duties or responsibilities and a local officeholder shall so certify the name and address of his or her treasurer to the appropriate county election commission.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-110, is amended by adding the following new subsection (d) and by relettering the present subsection (d) accordingly:

A candidate for state or local public office who fails to file any statement or report required by this part shall be ineligible to qualify for election to any state or local public office until such statement or report is filed with the registry and/or the appropriate county election commission.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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